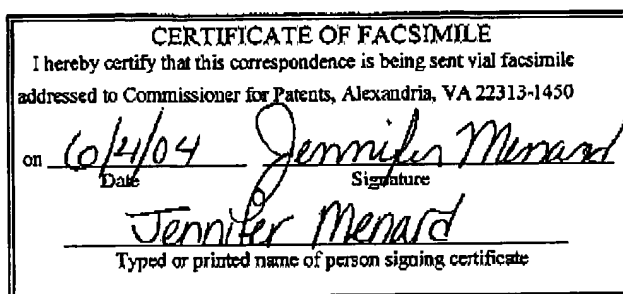


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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

To Whom It May Concern::

Transmitted herewith is Amendment for filing in the above-identified application.

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

	(COL. 1)		(COL. 2)	(COL. 3)
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA
TOTAL	11	MINUS	*	31
INDEP	5	MINUS	**	12
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM				

* not fewer than 20

** not fewer than 3

SMALL ENTITY			OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY	
RATE	ADDIT. FEE	OR	RATE	ADDIT. FEE
X \$9	\$		X \$18	\$
X \$43	\$		X \$86	\$
+ \$145	\$		+ \$290	\$
TOTAL =	\$	0	TOTAL =	\$

Please charge Deposit Account No. 501040 for the following fees:

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<input type="checkbox"/>	Amendment Fee	\$	
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		\$	
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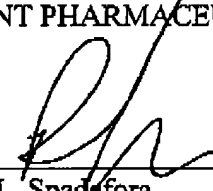
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☒ A general authorization is hereby granted to charge Deposit Account No. 501040 for any fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17 in order to maintain pendency of this application.

Respectfully submitted,

OSCIENT PHARMACEUTICALS CORPORATION

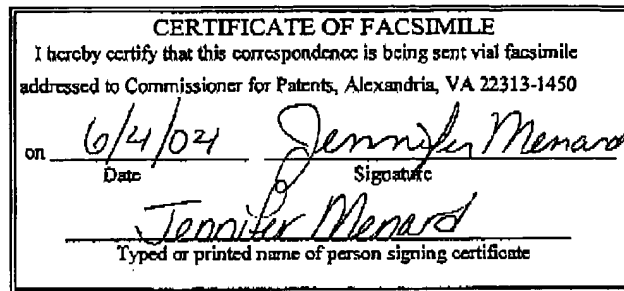
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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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Sir:

The undersigned attorney petitions the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for filing a
Response to the Office Action dated December 4, 2003 for three-months from March 4, 2004 to June 4, 2004.

	<u>Small Entity</u>	<u>Other than Small Entity</u>
1 month -	\$ 55.00	\$ 110.00
2 months -	\$ 210.00	\$ 420.00
3 months -	\$ 475.00	X \$ 950.00
4 months -	\$ 740.00	\$ 1480.00
5 months -	\$ 1005.00	\$ 2010.00

- ☐ Enclosed is a check in the amount of \$[] to cover the cost of the extension.
☐ The fee for the extension is included in the check for the accompanying response.
☒ Please charge Deposit Account No. 501040 in the amount of \$950.00 to cover the cost of the extension fee.

Any deficiency or overpayment should be charged or credited to Deposit Account No. 501040.

Respectfully submitted,
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